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1.		A true copy of the application and original declaration are enclosed.
2.	<u>X</u>	Priority of PCT application Serial No. PCT/EP03/10220 filed on September 13, 2003 in Europe is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §120 or 365(c), which claims priority from German Patent Application Serial No. 102 42 848.4-45 filed on September 14, 2002 in Germany under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(e) or 365(b).
3.		Cancel in this application original claim(s) of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
4.	_	Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:This is a continuation, division, of application serial no, filed, which claims priority from provisional application Serial No filed on
5.	_X	An Assignment of the invention to Schott Glas including \$40.00 recordation fee and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet are enclosed.
6.	_X_	Address all future communications to: CHARLES N.J. RUGGIERO, ESQ. OHLANDT, GREELEY, RUGGIERO & PERLE, LLP ONE LANDMARK SQUARE, 10 th FLOOR STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT 06901-2682 TELEPHONE: (203) 327-4500 TELEFAX: (203) 327-6401
7.	_X_	A complete set of formal drawings (Figures 1 - 3) is attached.

Declaration and Power of Attorney form executed by Christophe Moelle, Lars Bewig, Frank Koppe, Thomas Küpper, Stefan Geisler, Stefan Bauer, and Jürgen

highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)

A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the

10.	_X_	I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application serial no. PCT/EP03/10220 as originally filed on September 13, 2003.		
11.		The undersigned attorney has verified that this application is entitled to Small Entity Status.		
12.		An Information Disclosure Statement (Form-1449) is enclosed.		
13.		A Certified Copy of the Priority Application is enclosed.		

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